WORLD'S MARKETS TODAY

MILK FIGHT IS AGAIN LOOSE

Borden Company Cuts Condensed Article to Meet Price Ruling Carnation.

Milk is running in the fight between the Borden Milk company and the Pacific Coast Condensed Milk company.

Today the Borden company, through its local representatives, Johnson-Lieber company, announced a cut of 40c a case in the former price. This would put the price of Pioneer, the Borden product, to the same price as Carnation, the Pacific Coast manufacture.

However, this seems to be merely the start of what promises to be one of the greatest fights ever made in the dairy trade for control of a market. A few days ago when the Borden company discontinued its offer of one case of milk free with each 10 cases purchased, the wise ones stated that this was the end of the fight and that the Borden company had deserted the field.

Not so, however, for with the latest declaration from the company, the fight promises to be fast and furious, with milk sure to sell in the future at prices that would not prove profitable to the canners. Thus today's drop of 40c a case in the Borden product seems to be merely the opening wedge of the company's cavalry. The wonder of the present fight is that neither company has to date been able to more than fill its orders, at some periods the orders being several weeks late in delivery because of the press of business. Therefore the fight is not merely a matter of securing business, but to get absolute control of the condensed milk trade of the Pacific northwest.

Borden May Build Condensary.

In the fight as it goes on at present, the Borden company is greatly handicapped, for it can not produce a sufficient amount of the canned milk to wage a successful fight against the Carnation people, who have several factories and are said to be interested in others. Two of the company's plants are in Oregon in the district where milk supplies are good. One of them is at Forest Grove, and the other at Hillsboro. Both are large and modern plants. On the other hand the Borden people have but one condensary, that located at Auburn near Seattle, where milk supplies are not over plentiful.

It is stated for this reason the Borden company will build at least one, and possibly two, condensaries in Oregon, and at this time the east side of the river between Portland and Salem are looked upon as the most favorable location. It is stated that a representative of one of the milk companies has been quietly interviewing the hop growers of the east side regarding what they would do if a condensary would be built in their vicinity.

FRONT STREET BRIEFS.

The Dalles Sends in First Outdoor Grown Tomatoes, as Is Usual.

Page & Son report in first Oregon outdoor grown tomatoes of the present season. Came from John Klindt of The Dalles, who always is first in the field. Better quality than California stock. Sale at $3.

Peach market is overloaded with California stock of small size, which sells around 75c a box.

Peppers are in much larger supply from the south and price has dropped to 8@10c a pound.

A car of cantaloupes arrived in this morning and found a better demand at advanced prices. Supplies in the south not so great.

New local potatoes are showing increasing volume of arrivals with general sales around $1.25. Buying price $1 f. o. b. Portland.

Cherry market is in bad shape, with too liberal supplies, and practically no shipping to date.

Market is down 1c a pound on halibut, because of the very heavy catch off Cape Flattery, and in the Straits of Georgia.

Poultry market is quite steady, with the general price for hens around 12½c.

Egg receipts are very small, and prices are firm at yesterday's quotations. Some talking of asking more. Most stocks are arriving in poor shape.

There is nothing doing in the hop market, although short sellers are again ready to put prices up artificially in order to force growers to pick.

Front street sells at the following prices. Those paid shippers are less regular commissions:

Grain, Flour and Hay.

WHEAT — Buying price — Track Portland—Club 86c; bluestem, 88c; red, 84c. Willamette valley, 86c bushel.

FLOUR—Selling price—Eastern Oregon patents, $4.85; straights, $4.05@4.55; exports, $3.50@3.60; valley, $4.45; graham, ¼s, $4.40; whole wheat, $4.65, rye, 5s, $5.50; bales, $3.

MILLSTUFFS—Selling price—Bran, $26; middlings, $30.50; shorts, $28@28.50; chop, $21@29 per ton.

HAY—Producers' price—Old Timothy, Willamette valley, fancy, $13@$13.50; ordinary, $12.50@13; eastern Oregon, $16@17; mixed, $10@10.50; clover, $8@9; grain, $11@12; cheat, $11@12; alfalfa, $9@10.

BARLEY—Feed, $25.50; rolled, $27.50@28.50; brewing, $27.

OATS—No. 1 white, $27.50; gray, $27 per ton.

Butter, Eggs and Poultry.

BUTTER FAT—Delivery f. o. b. Portland—Sweet cream, 23½c; sour, 21½c lb.

BUTTER—Extra creamery, 25c; fancy, 23½c; ordinary, 21½@22½c; store, 16@17c.

EGGS—Select fancy, candled, 22@22½c; ordinary, 20@21c.

CHEESE—Full cream, flats, triplets and daisies, 13½@14c; Young Americas, 14½@15c.

POULTRY — Mixed chickens, 12c@12½c lb; fancy hens, 12½c; roosters, old, 9c lb; fryers, 18c lb; broilers, 18c lb; geese, spring, 13c; turkeys, alive, 17c; spring ducks, 13@15c lb; pigeons, $1.25 doz.; dressed poultry, 1@1½c lb. higher.

Hops, Wool and Hides.

HOPS — 1907 crop, first prime, 5c; prime, 4½c; medium to prime, 4c; medium, 3½c lb; 1906 crop, 2@3½c lb; contracts, 9c and 10c for three years.

WOOL—1908—Willamette valley, 12½@13c.

SHEEPSKINS — Shearing, 10@15c each; short wool, 25@40c; medium wool, 50c@$1 each; long wool, 75c@$1.25 each.

MOHAIR—1907—Nominal, 18¾@19c.

HIDES—Dry hides, 12½@15c lb; green, 5@5½c; calves, green, 8@10c; kips, 5@6c lb; bulls, green salt, 4c lb.

TALLOW—Prime, per lb, 3@4c; No. 2 and grease, 2@2½c.

CHITTIM BARK—3½@4½c.

Fruits and Vegetables.

ONIONS—California red, $1.25@1.50 per sack; yellow, $1.75 per cwt.; garlic, 17c lb.

POTATOES—Old, selling, 50@65c; sweet, 5@5½c; new potatoes, $1.25@1.50.

APPLES—New California, $1.50.

FRESH FRUITS—Oranges, $4.00@4.25; bananas, 5½c per lb, crated, 6c; lemons, $3.75@4.75 box; grapefruit, $4@$4.50; pineapples, Hawaiian, $5.00 doz.; strawberries, Willamette valley $1.00@1.25; cantaloupes, $1.75@2; apricots, 90c@$1.15c; blackberries, $1.25; peaches, 75@85c; pears, $1.35; grapes (—); raspberries, $1.00@1.25; loganberries, 65@85c; cherries, Royal Ann, 5@6c lb; watermelons, 2c lb; currants, $1 crate.

VEGETABLES—Turnips, new Oregon, 20c; beets, 20c; carrots, $1.50 sack; parsnips, 85c@$1; cabbage, $1.50; tomatoes California, $1.65 box; Oregon, $3.00; beans, 4@5c lb; cauliflower, California, crate, $1.75@2.00; peas, Oregon, 3½@5c; horseradish, 8@10c; artichokes, (—) doz; green onions, 15c doz; peppers, bell, 8@10c; Chile, (—); head lettuce, 25@30c doz; cucumbers, hothouse, local, 50@75c doz; radishes, 15c doz bunches; rhubarb, Oregon, 2½@3c; celery, 75c; asparagus, California, 8@9c lb; gooseberries, 5c; eggplant, 10@15c; green corn, 20@25c doz.

Groceries, Nuts, Etc.

SUGAR—California & Hawaiian Refinery—Cube, $6.60; powdered, $6.45; berry, $6.25; dry granulated, $6.25; XXX granulated, $6.15; conf. A., $6.25; extra B., $5.80; golden C., $6.30; D., yellow, $5.55; beet granulated, $6.05; barrels, 15c; half barrels, 30c; boxes, 55c advance on sack basis.

(Above prices are 30 days net cash quotations.)

HONEY—$3.60 per crate.

COFFEE—Package brands, $16.50.

SALT—Coarse—Half ground, 100s, $11.00 per ton; 50s, $11.50; table, dairy 50s, $16.50; 100s, $16.00; bales, $2.35; imported Liverpool, 5es, $20.00; 100s, $19.00; 4s, $18.00; extra fine barrels, 2s, 5s and 10s, $4.50@5.50; Liverpool lump rock, $20.50 per ton.

RICE—Imperial Japan No. 1, 6c; No. 2, 5½@5¾c; New Orleans, head, 7¾c; Ajax (—); Creole, 5¾c.

BEANS—Small white, $4.75; large white, $4.75; pink, $3.85; bayou, $3.85; Limas, $5.85; Mexican reds (—).

Meats, Fish and Provisions.

DRESSED MEATS—Front street—Hogs, fancy, 7c lb; ordinary, 6½c; large, 5@6c; veal, extra, 8c per lb.; ordinary, 7@7½c per lb.; heavy, 7c per lb.; mutton, fancy, 8@8½c per lb.; spring lamb, 7c.

HAMS, BACON, ETC.—Portland pack (local) hams, 10 to 13 lbs, 16½c per lb; breakfast bacon, 15@23c per lb; picnics, 11c per lb; cottage roll 12c lb; regular short clears smoked, 12c per lb; backs, smoked, 12½c lb; smoked short clears, 12½c lb; clear bellies, smoked, 13½c lb; shoulders, 12c per lb; pickled tongues, 70c each.

LOCAL LARD—Kettle leaf, 10s, 13¼c per lb; 5s, 13⅜c per lb; 50 lb tins, 12½c per lb; steam rendered, 10s, 12¼c per lb; 5s, 12⅜ per lb; compound, 10s, 9¼c per lb.

FISH—Rock cod, 12½c lb; flounders, 6c per lb; halibut, 5@6c per lb; striped bass, 15c per lb; catfish, 11c per lb; salmon, chinook, 9c lb; bluebacks, 8c lb; steelhead, 8c lb; herrings, 5c lb; soles, 7c per lb; shrimp, 10c per lb; perch, 6c per lb; tomcod, 11c per lb; lobsters, 25c per lb; fresh mackerel, 8c per lb; crawfish, 20c per dozen; sturgeon, 12½c per lb; black bass, 20c per lb; silver smelt, 7c per lb; black cod, 7½c lb; crabs, $1.00@1.50 doz; shad, 2½c; roe shad, 6c; shad roe, 12½c lb.

OYSTERS—Shoalwater Bay, per gallon, $2.50; per 100-lb sack, $5.00; Olympia, per gallon, $2.40; per 100-lb sack, $6.00@6.50; Eagle, canned, 60c can, $7.00 dozen; eastern in shell, $1.75 per 100.

CLAMS—Hardshell, per box, $2.40; razor clams, $2.00 per box, 10c per doz.

Paints, Coal Oil, Etc.

ROPE—Pure Manila, 12½c; standard, 11½c; sisal, 9½c; L. H. sisal, 8½c.

LINSEED OIL—Raw, bbls, 51c, cases, 56c; boiled, bbls, 53c; cases, 57c a gal; lots of 250 gallons, 1c less; oil cake meal, $34 ton.

BENZINE—86 deg., cases, 19½c per gal; iron bbls, 12½c per gal.

TURPENTINE—In cases, 72c per gal; wood bbls, 69c per gal.

WHITE LEAD—Ton lots, 7¾c per lb; 500 lb lots, 8c lb; less lots, 8¼c lb.

WIRE NAILS—Present basis $2.85.

CASH PRICES ESTABLISHED

Transactions of New Wheat Reported at Interior on Basis of 81 to 82c Club.

World's Wheat Prices.

	September.
Portland	83B
Chicago	89⅜
New York	96⅝
St. Louis	88
Kansas City	83¾
Liverpool	7s 2⅝d

PORTLAND GRAIN RECEIPTS.

	Cars— Today.	July 3.	June 26
Barley	1	1	5
Flour	..	..	..
Hay	2	12	3
Oats	3	..	1
Wheat	7	7	16

For spot delivery several fair sized sales of new wheat have been reported at interior points on a basis of 81@82c for Club, track Portland. Interior millers seem quite willing to accept all offerings of No. 1 Club at this range and in consequence the price for new crop has been formally established.

Buyers are showing their belief in high values for the immediate future by bidding 83c for September (Club) delivery on the Portland board of trade. While no sales were reported on 'change during today's session, buyers and sellers are being brought closer together. During the session 83c was bid for December delivery while 84c was asked by sellers. Transactions on the board are on the basis of Club wheat unless otherwise specified.

Barley futures were firm at $1.10 per cental bid and yesterday's values on oats were sustained.

Board of trade prices:

WHEAT.

	Open.	High.	Low.	Close.
Sept.	83B	....	....	83B
Dec.	83B	....	....	84A

BARLEY.

	Open.	High.	Low.	Close.
Sept.	112½B	....	....	112½B
Dec.	110A	118⅝A	107½B	110B

OATS.

	Open.	High.	Low.	Close.
Dec.	110B	....	....	120B

News Gossip of Finance

New York, July 10.—New Haven control of Boston & Maine yellow is said to interests favorable to former.

Pittsburg, July 10.—U. S. Steel company exporting 20 per cent of its production, or at the rate of 1,000,000 tons a year.

New York, July 10.—President Ripley of the Atchison, Topeka & Santa Fe declares rates must go up or wages down.

London, July 10.—Consols down 1-16d.

New York, July 10.—Public service commission scaled down Delaware & Hudson bond issue from $25,000,000 asked for to $15,000,000.

London, July 10.—Silver 24 9-16d.

New York, July 10.—Bar silver 53¼c.

New York, July 10.—Metals—Copper—Lake, 12¾@12⅞c; electrolytic, 12½@12¾c; castings, 12¼@12½c; Lead, $4.40½@4.44¾; tin, $40.75@41.00.

New York, July 10.—Government bonds:

Twos, registered	103⅝	104½
do coupon	103⅝	104½
Threes, registered	100	102½
do coupon	100½	101½
Small bonds	100½	
Fours, registered	121¼	122¼
do coupon	121¼	123¼

New York, July 10.—Sterling exchange: Cables, 487.10@487.15; demand, 484.90@484.95; 60 days, 485.65@485.75.

DISAPPOINTED BY LIVERPOOL

Chicago Does Not Like Small Wheat Rise There—Causes Drop After Gain.

CHICAGO WHEAT MARKET.

	Open.	Close.	July 9.	Loss.
July	88⅝	88¾	89¼	½
Sept.	89⅝	89⅝	90A	⅜
Dec.	90⅜	91A	91⅛B	⅛
May	94¾	94⅞A	94⅞	

Chicago, July 10.—The wheat market opened a fraction lower with disappointing Liverpool cables, became suddenly very active, advanced, and later sold off, closing under last night's bid prices.

Damage news, burning crops, contributed most to the advance of nearly 1c within a few moments after the opening, with July touching 90c. September had an early rise to 91c, as compared with yesterday's close at 90c asked. December was up a like sum at 92½c. May was the strongest and had an early gain of 1⅛c, which put the price to 96.

Liverpool started and closed about ⅛d above yesterday for wheat, but the trade did not believe this was sufficient in view of our advance, and selling was forced.

Chicago, July 10.—Millers of Michigan are now bidding 96 cents for the new wheat at the mills. This is a feature with the country millers in general, and also accounts in part for the small primary movement to date. With both St. Louis and Kansas City near the wheat fields of the southwest, and they are bidding relatively higher than Chicago, it does not seem as if Chicago would be swamped with the new wheat for a while.

Official quotations furnished by Overbeck & Cooke Co.:

WHEAT.

	Open.	High.	Low.	Close.
July	88⅞	90¼	88¾	88¾
Sept.	89⅝	91	89⅝	89⅝
Dec.	90⅞	92¾	90⅞	91A
May	94¾	96	94¾	94⅞A

CORN.

	Open.	High.	Low.	Close.
July	72¾	74⅛	72	74
Sept.	71¾	74⅛	71⅞	73¾
Dec.	60	62	60	61⅞

OATS.

	Open.	High.	Low.	Close.
July	47	47¼	46⅞	47¼
Sept.	39⅜	40¾	39½	40¾
May	42¼	43⅞	42¼	43½A

PORK.

	Open.	High.	Low.	Close.
July	1610	1612	1600	1605
Sept.	1590	1625	1590	1617
Oct.	1600	1625	1600	1617

LARD.

	Open.	High.	Low.	Close.
July	952	955	945	952
Sept.	955	967	955	962
Oct.	970	975	967	970

RIBS.

	Open.	High.	Low.	Close.
July	887	902	887	887
Sept.	8901	907	897	900
Oct.	902	907	897	907

Liverpool Wheat Market.

Liverpool, July 10.—Official prices:

WHEAT.

	Open.	Close.
July	7s 4¼d	7s 4⅛d
Sept.	7s 2⅝d	7s 2⅝d
Dec.	7s 2⅝d	7s 2⅝d

CORN.

	Open.	Close.
July	5s 6⅝d	5s 6½d
Sept.	5s 3½d	5s 4 d

Chicago Cash Wheat.

Chicago, July 10.—Cash wheat: No. 2 red, 90@91c; No. 3 red, 89@90c; No. 2 hard, 89@94c; No. 2 northern spring, $1.02; nominal No. 3 northern spring, 95@$1.05.

SMALL RUN HOLDING LIVESTOCK STEADY

PORTLAND LIVESTOCK RUN.

	Hogs.	Cattle.	Sheep.
Today	....	178	....
1907	306	243	800
1906	....	277	....
1905	....	27	255

Portland Union Stockyards, July 10.—There was only a small run of livestock in the local yards today. The total arrivals were 178 head of cattle; no hogs or sheep putting in appearance.

The hog market is gaining in firmness, but values are unchanged since yesterday.

Cattle are steady for best stuff, but killers are not offering more. Supplies therefore seem adequate to fill their wants at this time.

Sheep are holding just about steady, with former values maintained.

A year ago today all lines were just holding their own with no change in values for the day.

Official yard prices today:

Hogs—Best stuff, $6.25; blockers and China fats, $5.50@6.00; stockers and feeders (—).

Cattle—Best eastern Oregon steers, $3.75@4.00; medium steers, $3.25@3.50; prime fat cows, $2.75@3.00; medium cows, $2.25@2.50; bulls and stags, $2.00.

Sheep—Best wethers, $3.75; spring lambs, $4.50@4.75; straight ewes, $3.00@3.50; mixed lots, $3.25@3.50.

Cattle Strong in East.

Chicago, July 10.—Official run:

	Hogs.	Cattle.	Sheep.
Chicago	18,000	17,000	6,000
Kansas City	7,000	3,000	2,000
Omaha	4,000	2,500	2,000

Hogs are steady. Left over yesterday, 6,500. Receipts a year ago, 22,000. Mixed, $6.00@6.60; heavy, $6.40@6.60; rough, $6.00@6.25; light, $6.00@6.60.

Cattle, strong; sheep, steady.

PRICE OF NEVADA SHARES IN FRISCO

(Furnished by Overbeck & Cooke Co.) San Francisco, July 10.—Bid prices:

BULLFROG DISTRICT.

Original Bullfrog [illegible] Mont. Bull. 16A; Nat. Bank 4c; L. Harris 1⅓A; Amethyst 4A; Gold Bar 2c; [illegible] Mont. [illegible] Monty [illegible] Yankee Girl [illegible].

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Ton. Nev. [illegible] Mont. Ton. $1.33; [illegible] Midway [illegible] No. Star [illegible] West End Cons. [illegible] Anchor 2c; Jim Butler [illegible] Golden Crown 2c.

GOLDFIELD DISTRICT.

Sandstorm 28c; Jumbo Ext. 15c; Pennsylvania 2c asked; Kendall 15c asked; [illegible] Adams 3c; Silver Pick 15c; [illegible] B. B. Ext. 1c; Blue Bell [illegible] Hibernia 2c; St. Ives [illegible] Blk Rock 1c; Lone Star [illegible] Wonder 2c asked; [illegible] Sandst. [illegible] Mayne [illegible] Atlanta [illegible] Great Bend [illegible] Empire 2c; Red Top Ext. [illegible] Florence $3.12; Diam'f B. B. Con. 16c; [illegible] Daisy [illegible] Florence Ext. 14c; Comb. Fract. [illegible] Gr. Bend Ext. 6c; Gr. Bend Anx. 8c; Millstorm 2c; B. B. Bonanza 1c; Kewanas 22c; Portland 8c; Cracker Jack 3c; Francis Mohawk 15c; Red Hill 18c; Mohawk Ext. 5c; Lou Dillon 1c; Y. Tiger 10c asked; Grandma 4c; S. Pick Ext. 2c asked; Y. Rose 1c; Col. Mt. Ext. 2c asked; Goldf. Cons. $5.57½; Diam'f Triangle 3c.

SELLERS HIT STOCK MARKET

Former Leaders of Advances Are Most Depressed in New York Today.

STOCK MARKET LOSSES.

Amalgamated	1⅛	L. & N.	1½
Locomotive	½	Katy	⅞
A. Smelter	1⅞	Mo. Pacific	1⅛
Anaconda	⅞	N. Y. Central	⅜
B. & O.	1¼	O. & W.	½
Brooklyn	½	N. Pacific	1½
Canadian	¾	Pennsylvania	⅞
St. Paul	¾	Reading	1⅜
Colo. Fuel	1	U. Pacific	1⅜
G. North. pfd.	⅞	U. S. Steel	⅞
S. P.	⅞	do pfd.	¾
Ill. Central	⅝		

New York, July 10.—While a few issues were able to maintain their values of yesterday at the opening of the stock market today, the general list was sold from the start.

Just contrary to recent sessions, the copper shares were weak and distressed all day, Amalgamated dropping quite rapidly during the day and closing around the low mark, or 1⅛ points under the bid of yesterday. Anaconda lost ⅞ point, while American Smelting showed a like loss as Amalgamated. B. & O. was another of the late favorites to fall heavily, losing 1¼ points of yesterday's price. Union Pacific and Reading were heavy losers here, although they were the only ones of the American group to hold in London today.

A good bank statement was predicted by the trade for tomorrow.

Official New York prices by Overbeck & Cooke company:

DESCRIPTION.	Open.	High.	Low.	Closing Bid.
Amal. Cop. Co.	69⅞	70¼	68⅝	68¾
A. C. & F., c.	36½	36¾	36	36
do pfd.	101	101⅛	101	100
Am. Cot. Oil, c.	31¾	33½	31¾	32¼
Am. Loco., c.	49½	50	49⅛	49⅝
Am. Sugar, c.	....	127¾	127⅞	128¼
Am. Smelt, c.	83½	84¾	81⅞	82
do pfd.	103¾	104	103	103½
Anaconda M. Co.	44⅝	44¾	43⅝	43¾
Am. Woolen, c.	23	23	22	22¾
Atchison, c.	83¼	83⅜	82¾	82½
do pfd.	....	....	....	92½
B. & O., c.	90⅞	91¼	90	90¼
B. R. T.	49⅝	50⅜	49⅛	49⅝
Can. Pac., c.	163¼	163½	163	162¾
Cen. Leather, c.	26	26	26	25¾
do pfd.	....	....	....	95
C. & G. W., c.	....	....	....	7
C. M. & St. P.	138	139	137⅛	137⅛
C. & N., c.	153¾	155	153	153½
Ches. & Ohio	42½	42⅝	41⅞	41⅞
C. F. & I., c.	29¼	29⅝	28¼	28
Col. Southern, c.	....	....	....	31¾
Col. Southern 2dp	50	50	50	50
Col. southern2dp	50	50	50	50
Del. & Hudson	161⅞	162	161¼	161½
Den. & R. G., c.	26	26	25½	25½
Den. & R. G., p.	....	....	....	61
Erie, c.	19¾	20	19⅝	19½
Erie, 2d p.	22¾	22⅞	22¾	23¼
Erie, 1st p.	37	37⅛	37	36¾
G. Northern, p.	132⅞	133⅛	131⅝	131¾
Ill. Central	134	134⅜	132½	132½
L. & N.	108	109	107¾	107½
Manhattan Ry.	....	....	....	135
Mex. Cen. Ry.	....	....	....	14½
M., K. & T., c.	29⅞	29⅞	28¾	28¼
M., K. & T., p.	60½	61	60½	61
Distillers	34½	34⅜	34	34¼
Ore Lands	62¾	62½	60½	60½
Mo. Pac.	50⅜	50⅜	49⅝	49⅜
Nat. Lead	67⅞	68⅛	67⅜	67
N. Y. Central	105¼	105⅜	104½	104¼
N. Y., Ont. & W.	39¾	39⅜	39	39
Nor. & W., c.	71	71	70¾	70½
do, pfd	....	....	....	73
No. Am.	....	....	....	63
N. P., c.*	140	140	138¾	138¾
Pac. M. SS. Co.	25	25¼	25	25
Penn. Ry.	123¼	123½	122	122¼
P. G. L. & C. Co.	....	....	....	92½
P. Steel Car, c.	29	29½	29	28¾
do, pfd	....	....	....	87
Reading, c.	116¼	117	115¾	115¾
do, 2d pfd	84	84	84	84
do, 1st pfd	....	....	....	82½
Rep. I. & S., c.	18¾	18¾	18¼	18¼
do, pfd	....	....	....	68½
R. I., c.	16½	17¼	16½	16¾
do, pfd	30¼	30⅝	29½	29½
St.L.&S.F. 2d pfd	26⅜	26½	26	26¼
do, 1st pfd	....	....	....	42
St. L. & S. W., c.	16	16¼	16	16
do, pfd	....	....	....	38½
S. P., c.	88⅜	88¾	87¾	87¾
do pfd	118	118	117¾	117¾
South. Ry., c.	17⅝	18	17½	16¾
do pfd	....	....	....	44
Tex. Pacific	....	....	....	24
T., S. L. & W., c.	20	20	19½	19½
do pfd	44	44⅞	44	44¾
U. P., c.	149¼	150½	148	148
do pfd	....	....	....	82¼
U. S. Rub., c.	26½	26½	26	26
do pfd	....	....	....	97½
U. S. Steel Co., c.	40⅜	40⅝	39⅝	39⅝
do pfd	107½	107⅝	106⅝	106¾
Wabash, c.	11½	11½	11¼	11½
do pfd	....	....	....	22¾
W. U. Tel.	....	....	....	54½
Wis. Cen., c.	16½	16½	16	16½
do pfd	....	....	....	37
Westinghouse	55½	55½	55½	55

Total sales, 552,300 shares.
*Northern Pacific ex-dividend 1¾ per cent.

PRODUCE IN SAN FRANCISCO.

San Francisco, July 10.—Wheat—No. 1 California club, per cental, $1.62½@1.65; northern bluestem, $1.67½@1.70; northern club, $1.60@1.62½; inferior grades, $1.40@1.55.

Barley—New feed, $1.27½@1.30; common to fair, $1.22½@1.23; brewing at San Francisco, nominal, at $1.47½; chevalier, $1.65@1.85, according to quality.

Eggs (per dozen)—California fresh, including cases, extras, 25c; firsts, 22½c; seconds, 18c; thirds, 16½c.

Butter (per pound)—California fresh, extras, 22½c; firsts, 21c; seconds, 20½c; thirds, 20c; packing, No. 2, 19c.

New cheese (per pound)—California flats, fancy, 11c; firsts, 10½c; seconds, 9½c; California Young America, fancy, 13½c; firsts, 12c; eastern Oregon, fancy, 11c; do Young America, fancy, 14½c.

Potatoes (per cental)—New potatoes, sacks, $1@1.25; boxes, $1.15@1.50; Early Rose, $1@1.10.

Onions—Red, 75@75c; yellows, $1.

Oranges (per box)—Navels, $3@3.50; Valencias, $2.25@3.50.

Boston Copper Market.

Furnished by Overbeck & Cooke Co.

Boston, July 10.—Bid prices:

Adventure	....	Franklin	9½
Allouez	36	Daly West	10⅛
Arcadian	3½	Ely	7⅛
Black Mt.	15¾	Globe	4⅛
Copper Range	73	Greene G.	15
Granby	100	No. Butte	70
Apex	3⅞	Old Dom.	55½
Atlantic	14½	Stanton	12⅛
Butte Coala	23½	Trinity	13⅛
Cal. & Hecla	660	Nevada Con.	12⅝
Cop. Mt.	38		

Northwest Bank Statement.

PORTLAND

Clearings today	$ 911,673.35
Year ago	1,483,587.83
Balances today	117,526.03
Year ago	87,879.82

SEATTLE

Clearings	$1,478,816.00
Balances	222,533.00

New York Cotton Market.

(Furnished by Overbeck & Cooke Co.)

	High.	Low.	Close.	July 9
Jan.	920	907	908	903
Mar.	921	904	907	903
July	951	940	940	943
Aug.	944	946	935	929
Sept.	950	935	931	939
Oct.	941	926	927	932
Dec.	926	913	916	904

DEATH ELUDES AGED WOMAN

Mrs. Bessie Shierer Makes Four Attempts and Still Lives.

(United Press Leased Wire.)

Bellingham, Wash., July 10.—"I don't believe life is worth while. I have had trouble and more trouble. My husband has left me, the investment I figured on to keep me in my old age has turned out badly and I am dependent on my relatives. Lately I have been despondent and sleepless and I just made up my mind that I was not living for my own or anyone else's happiness, and that I was better dead than alive. So I tried to kill myself. That's all there is to it, and I'm not insane. I just took a common sense view of the matter."

This was the statement made today by Mrs. Bessie Shierer of Lynden, aged 62, who Wednesday attempted four times to kill herself. She first attempted to strangle herself by twisting a wet towel around her neck and pulling it taut. This gruesome operation was interrupted by her sister, and then she started for the slough back of her house, expressing her intention of drowning herself.

When overtaken and brought back she hung herself with a small rope in the back yard, but her struggles broke the noose. Failing in this she again started for the slough and she had cast herself in and was in the last gasps of suffocation when pulled out by her rescuers.

THREATENS AND STOPS THUG WITH BIG KEY

(United Press Leased Wire.)

San Francisco, July 10.—Isador Golden, charged with being one of three men who broke into the silk store of B. Hart & Brothers, is in prison today, having been captured last night by an unarmed man, while his two companions are at large after dodging a fusillade of bullets from Chief of Police Biggy's revolver.

Biggy and Charles Skelly were standing on a corner near the store when they heard seven revolver shots, which they later learned were fired in a revolver duel between the burglars and the watchman at the Hart store. A moment later three men dashed up the street. Biggy drew his revolver and fired five wild shots after two of the men, loudly commanding them to halt. They refused to comply and quickly disappeared.

In the meantime Skelly, who was unarmed, set out in pursuit of the third man, who proved to be Golden, and overtaking him, pointed a large key at head and commanded that he surrender. Golden was fooled by the bluff and gave himself up.

AMERICAN MARKSMEN LEADING THE WORLD

Bisley, Eng., July 10.—The American rifle team took first honors in the 200-yard range shoot, with Sweden a close second. Score: American, 428, Sweden, 422.

In the 300 meter event Simon, an American contestant, won by a score of 886 points.

Thus far America is leading with a grand total of 1,291 points. This puts the team from the United States ahead of the English marksmen, who are second.

Large sums are being wagered on the outcome of the tournament, England being a strong favorite despite the fact that it is in second place.

Latest News of Oregon Crops

NORTHWEST WEATHER FORECAST.

Oregon and Washington—Fair tonight, cooler east portion. Saturday fair. Northwest winds.

Idaho—Fair and cooler tonight. Saturday fair.

Dea, Or., July 10.—The fruit crop in upper Hood river valley promises to be up to the average and the yield will be greater, owing to increased acreage. Fruit right in the shadow of Mount Hood matures well.

Condon, Or., July 10.—Notwithstanding that the wheat crop in Gilliam county will not be so large as a year ago, wheat land still sells at a good price and farmers are not afraid to venture in the wheat business. This past week through E. Curran of this city and J. O. Elrod of Portland, two of the best wheat ranches of this section have been sold. One of them was purchased by a Eugene man, R. McMurphy, who bought the Skelley ranch, one mile north of town, for which he paid $28,800. The ranch is in first class condition and is in crop, one third of which goes to the purchaser. The other land deal is the selling of the Wester place near Clem, a little town on the Condon railroad branch, to S. C. Dodson of Condon for $26,400.

V. H. Rogers of the Dement Bros. Milling company tells the Walla Walla Bulletin that the hot weather has not hurt the wheat crop of that county thus far. Mr. Rogers has just returned from a trip covering the entire Walla Walla country. "On the old John Hoffman place, now being farmed by Henry Vincent," states Mr. Rogers, "the wheat is the finest I ever saw on Eureka flat. The grain is of the Turkey Red variety and I believe will average 50 bushels to the acre. Harvest has started on the Charles Schaffer place and the grain is all first class. Wheat on the Will Struthers place is also ready for cutting. Dan Kirk has 3,000 acres of wheat that looks fine, and the yield will be normal. The grain is of No. 1 quality."

Hop Market Solution.

Portland, Or., July 9.—Commercial Editor Journal—Why would not some industry be started to relieve the stress now on hops looking toward the using up of the surplus? For instance, a hop pillow factory in all towns of any importance and some in country places.

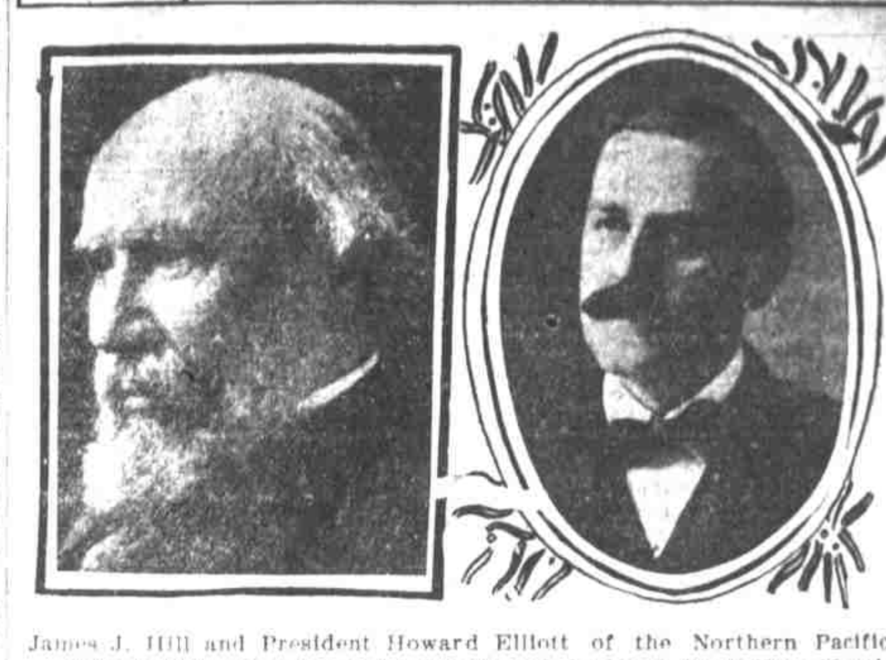
Many people like the smell of dried hops, and pillows made of hops would sell freely and well at fair prices for the medicinal properties that dried hops are claimed to have. They are said to induce repose, restfulness and sleep, and I have no doubt that a hop pillow industry would prove a complete success if properly conducted and advertised. If only a small percentage of the people buy a three or four-pound pillow each year many thousand bales of the surplus would thus find a market and a living price could be realized on all our hops.

Would it not be worth while for some of our prominent hop men and others who are friendly toward one of our most important industries to follow this up, or any other suggestion that would save to Oregon one of its most important industries.

Heavy Salmon Catch.

Hoquiam, Wash., July 10.—Seventy-five thousand Quinault salmon of the value of $25,000 have been caught this season by the Indians of the Quinault reservation, being three more fish than any previous catch. The Indians have been very daring in their fishing this year, going out into the surf after their prey. Most of this large amount of money will go to 30 of the men of the tribe. The Hoquiam Packing company bought most of the catch, shipping it in cold storage instead of canning them, thereby getting a better price. The season is practically ended, although a few fish are still caught. This unusual record in fishing has brought the Indians great prosperity this year.

CLUB WILL FETE TRACTION MEN



James J. Hill and President Howard Elliott of the Northern Pacific, Who Will Speak Here at the Opening of the North Bank Next Month.

Howard Elliott, president of the Northern Pacific, and James J. Hill, the great builder of the railway, will be Portland visitors and speakers during the celebration of the opening of the north bank road. The date for the opening has not been determined to the day, but it is now planned to bring in the first train and formally open the great new line into the east through the Columbia river basin and the inland empire country between the middle of August and the first of September.

Word has been received in Portland by officials of the Northern Pacific that the two big men of the company will be in Portland personally to witness and participate in the opening of the north bank line. Both will make addresses at the opening ceremonies.

Extensive plans for the celebration of the event are being made by the different commercial and business organizations of the city. A monster banquet is being arranged for the evening, and it is expected to make the occasion a day of celebration as the opening of the line means untold advantage, prosperity and growth for Portland and the state.

EDWARD CHERRY IS ACTING VICE-CONSUL

Son Appointed to Fill Vacancy Caused by His Father's Death.

(Special Dispatch to The Journal.)

Astoria, Or., July 10.—Edward Cherry has been appointed acting British vice-consul at Astoria, to fill the vacancy caused by the death of his father, Peter Lacy Cherry, who died last night at his home here after a brief attack of neuralgia. James Laidlaw, British consul at Portland, who has the appointive power, has not yet decided on a permanent appointment.

The deceased was born at Arcot, India, February 2, 1848, and was thus 60 years of age at the time of his death. He came to Oregon on the old barkentine Jane A. Falkenberg, 37 years ago last May. He first settled at Portland, being for a time in the employ of Henry Hewitt, but afterward came to Astoria, where he was connected with the cannery and shipping business, until 26 years ago, he entered the British consular service.

He was married here to Miss Helen S. Rogers, and he left besides his widow four sons, George and Harry Cherry of Portland; Edward Cherry of this city and Philip Cherry, who is a student at Pullman college. The arrangements for the funeral have not yet been perfected.

NOT DIVORCED BUT AT WAR IN COURT

To accommodate Robert G. Morrow, circuit judge-elect, and close up the case of D. A. Sanburn against his wife and her parents, in which Mr. Morrow is an attorney, Circuit Judge Bronaugh this morning violated the vacation rule of "No cases tried until September." The trial was taken up so that the new judge might appear as an attorney for the last time.

Sanburn is suing Mary Sanburn, his wife, and Mr. and Mrs. Richard M. Cannon, his wife's parents, in an effort to establish his ownership of $2,200 worth of property in University Park, subject to his wife's dower interest. Mrs. Sanburn asserts that none of her husband's money was used in buying the property. Although putting up a vigorous fight against each other, the Sanburns are not divorced.

BISHOP POTTER IS WORSE AGAIN

(Hearst News by Longest Leased Wire.)

Cooperstown, N. Y., July 10.—Bishop Potter is weaker today and while in no great pain his conditions is considered critical.

Baby Killed by Cat.

(Hearst News by Longest Leased Wire.)

Pittsburg, Pa., July 10.—The Allegheny county coroner's office today recorded the death of Elsie Thaxton, a baby aged 2 months, killed by having her breath sucked by a cat. This is the second case in the official records of Allegheny county.

Police Hunt Crazy Man.

The police are watching for a crazy man from San Francisco. They are in receipt of information from Chief Biggy of the Bay City that James F. Eagan, a well known business man has started out for Portland. He wears a gray suit and a black derby hat, is about 5 feet 8½ inches in height and weighs 175 pounds.

Sheriffs to Meet Regetta Week.

(Special Dispatch to The Journal.)

Astoria, Or., July 10.—At the meeting of the Oregon Sheriffs' association, President M. R. Pomeroy of Clatsop county decided that the annual convention will be held in Astoria during regatta week.

TOWN OF GRAND FORKS BURNING

Vancouver, B. C., July 10.—(Noon.)—A World special received here says the town of Grand Forks, B. C., is burning and the business section is threatened. Already 14 stores, eight hotels and the telegraph and telephone offices are wiped out. The loss is $200,000 to this hour.

James Barnsby of Malo, Wash., was burned to death.

R. R. Directors Name Officers.

Astoria, Or., July 10.—At a meeting of the newly elected board of directors of the Oregon Coast Railway company, the following officers were elected: President, E. J. Ferguson; vice-president, Norris Staples; secretary, F. N. Warren; treasurer, J. M. Anderson.

Sues for Tie Payments.

The Union Logging & Lumber company has begun suit in the circuit court against the O. R. & N. to collect $1,957 alleged to be due on 100,000 ties sold to the railroad from the mill at Beaverton.

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